

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 3757

February 10, 2010

SUMMARY OF BILL: Prohibits the use of any mechanical restraint, including a high chair, as punishment for a child while in a child care agency.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures – Not Significant

Assumptions:

- The Department of Human Services (DHS) will be responsible for enforcement of the proposed bill and for any investigative actions after a violation has been reported.
- The current regulatory procedures of DHS regarding child care agencies will not change. Any cost can be accommodated within existing resources without an increased appropriation or reduced reversion.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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